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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of:

Robert Kagermeier et al.

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For: CONTROL UNIT FOR MEDICAL  
EQUIPMENT

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**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Dear Sir:

Before examining the above-captioned application, please enter the following amendments.

## **AMENDMENTS**

Enclosed is a substitute specification. Also enclosed is a marked up copy showing the changes to the specification. Please replace the specification of the international application with the enclosed substitute specification.